FREE HOMES IN **NEW COUNTIES**

Congressman McGuire Will Urge That Plan.

TO INCREASE THE FUND

Thinks Congress Will Raise the Fund to \$10,000,000

Guthrie, O. T., May 21.-Congressman Bird S. McGuire arrived in this city from tary Myron Boyle had fitted up. He into this campaign confident of victory. Since his return from Washington Mr. McGuire has been over a considerable portion of the northern part of the terthat he considered the conditions very mand. favorable. He was especially pleased to On the following day, April 16, Brock

those in Oklahoma. He felt safe in sayelection by at least 5,000 for the Repub- quences extremely unpleasant to us.

Mr. McGuire shows great interest in the statehood bill and while the people feel pretty well over the clause giving territory nive million dollars for the school fund he felt that he would be able to make it ten millions. Some of the most prominent men on the senate committee on territories had promised him to work for an amendment to that effect and the house committee had promised not to oppose it if he would get the sen-

Another thing with which Mr. McGuire hopes to round out his term in congress a free homes bill for the new country. This includes the counties of Kiowa, Comanche and Caldo. Mr. McGuire said he had done a great deal of work with members of both the house and the senate, and some of the strongest members of both brenches had promised him that they would favor such a bill at the next

HIGH SCHOOL CLOSES.

Three Girls and One Boy Deliver Well Conceived Orations.

Lawton, O. T., May 21.-The second anschool is now numbered among the "has residence of ex-Governor Seay to pay and one boy were practically submerged was wheeled out in the street when the and lost sight of in the grills, flowers and flummery, the exquisite musical pro- by, shaking hands with him as they gram and the splendid address of Presi- passed. This was probably the most afdent David R. Boyd of the Oklahoma feeting greeting and compliment ever ers of the occasion were exhibited in the small tent, while the local artists in the tionate demonstration and could not musical neld shone with dazzling splen-

chaos that existed before the morning stars sang together, they came bouncing down the corridors of time, gently striking only the high places like creation, Babylon, Rome, Columbus, Reformation, Mayflower, Washington, Lincoln, McKinture ages with the new woman in the Last Sunday's Storm Was a Recordmaddle. It is always amusing to hear what a graduate has learned and expects tures through the open door and the blinding lightning would flash upon the housekeeping. Mr. Johnson is bookkeeper new women, there was a frank admission scene and deafening peals of thunder for Randals & Grubb at Enid. that a stalwart shedaw arose across their would reberberate, shaking the solid old-fashloned occupation of "home build- of water were everywhere,

education.

and Walter Fowler. TO DIVIDE INTO WARDS.

Edmond Would Redistrict the City Through a Committee.

Edmond, O. T., May II .- The city cour cil met in regular session Wednesday evening with all members present. After the routine business was concluded the special committee appointed to select two more citizens, making a total of five, to reccommend the redistricting of the town of Edmond into lour wards. The committee, as appointed by the council was John Moore, James Brown and W. S. Patton, and these three selected L. V. Ford and Dr. Comp as the other two The "report," or cather "reports," of the committee revenied the fact that they were unable t ougree, therefore two rewere rejected after some little talk, and

the council will try, at another meeting, TONKAWA HAS A ROW.

the Story,

Guthrie, O. T., May II.—From Tonkswa comes a story of a hot fight in the town. The editor of the News tells the story in

pre both political and journalistic . We are accused of prestituting the office of city clerk and committeeman, as well as taking advantage of being proprietor of the only newspaper in the city, by re-fusing to recognize and print the City sociates in crime) where candidates. This fact is and has been known to specialist

connection with the late political squab-ble, and when this statement shall have made it known to the local public we trust that it may put a quietus at once and for aye upon the ridicuously absurd yet extremely annoying falsehoods that have coupled my name for the past six weeks with the so-called "election fraud. There is one other point, however, which we wish to clear up. It is said that we neglected our duty in not informing the party who filed the petition of the Citizens' ticket that the petition was not in accordance with the law of the statutes Now we ask, in the name of common sense and reason (when there has been such a difference of opinion among the leading legal lights of the whole territory of Okiahoma' how could it reason-ably be supposed that we should know whether the petition and ticket was in

regular form or not?

When Brock filed his petition on the 15th day of April we told him that we did not think it was in regular form, but if it was we would see that it received every consideration, and that it would be printed.

In giving it into our hands he did so Pawree last evening and proceeded to with the injunction that it was a serictly inspect his headquarters, which Secre- private matter and he would hold me responsible as its custodian, that it should was pleased with the selection of rooms he should deem it advisable to make it a held in privacy until such time as made by his secretary and when he sat matter of publicity. We told Mr. Brock down in one of the easy chairs to talk that we would ascertain an interpretato the correspondent of the Eagle It was tion of the law bearing on the point in very plainly evident that he is going question and if we had the power to withhold the matter from the eyes of others we would comply with his request. In looking up the law we found that we had no jurisdictional power to prevent persons from making an examination of ritory and he did not hesitate to say the document if they made such a de-

find such a unanimous sentiment among came again to the clerk's office with anthe people in favor of the Hamilton bill. other petition which he wished to sub-Oklahoma's congressmen shows a stitute for the one on file: having found, knowledge of the situation and gives he said, that the first one flied was faulty reasons for the faith that is in him. He In the conversation which followed he countted that the popularity of President became very much excited and shaking Received would help the Republicans his first in my face said that this ticket even in Oklahoma. On the other hand he must be printed upon the ballot. We felt certain that the next nomines of the informed him that we as one member Democratic party for president, if not of the election board would vote for its Mr. Cleveland, would be a Cleveland adoption and would print it should it be. Democrat. This would not please the found to be a legal document. He again Democrats of the west and particularly threatened us with dire consequences if his demand was not complied with telling that if the Democrats had a Cleve- ing us in language more forcible than eleland Democrat on their ticket for presi- gant that failure to comply with his or ment Oklahoma would be carried in the ders, in this case, would result in conse-

G. A. R. MEETING.

Kingfisher Entertained the Veterans in Admirable Style.

encampment of the Grand Army of the this city this week closed last night. The attendance was considerable and the interest was deep. About three hundred old soldiers and a large number of the women's relief corps are in the city.

The city put on a gala day appearance in honor of the occasion. Every building on Main street was beautifully decorated with the national emblems, the stars and stripes. The court house was decorated both inside and out, and many residence houses were tastefully decorated.

The committees in charge of the different arrangements did their duties faithfully and everything passed off in grand style. The bands furnished good music and in company with the committees met all trains bringing old soldiers to the

On Wednesday a large number of the veterans with the ladies of the relief corps formed in line at the opera hous encement of the Lawton high and, headed by the band, marched to the erations of the three girls their respects to him. Governor Seay soldiers and ladies. In double file, passed performs paid to a citizen of the territory. The old governor was overcome by the affecrespect for him. Many tears were shed in sympathy for his afflicted condition ance with facts. Beginning with the and his inability to be with his old com-

Officers elected were, Colonel Startan, of Perry, department commander; Mrs. Dr. Slade, of Guthrie, was elected president of the Women's Relief Corps.

NIGHT TO BE REMEMBERED.

Breaking Event. Prague, O. T., May 21.-Last Sunday to do until we brush the cobwebs from night will be remembered as the dark, ent. At 6:30 an elegant dinner was served. our memory and realize that in the hal- stormy night, full of accidents and trou-

pathway that might lead them into the earth; the rain fell in torrents and floods The program was highly creditable to had been to Prague to witness the ball nuptials of Mr. George L. Langford of to take place Wednesday, May 15, have bate judge's office at El Reno Friday all who participated, and demonstrates game and attend church were hurrying that the new town of the southwest is home and were caught in the storm. not beyond the pais of civilization and Horseback riders and buggies were lost ford of Commerce, Tex., a brother of the The four graduates were Elizabeth became ungovernablee and ran into the Timmons, Neille Robinson, Lela Hanna wire fence, cutting liself severely and cut of honor. The wedding was a quiet affair, man the past week: George Hohweiler A. N. Fender and Miss Alta Mosher Mr. Bullock very seriously in two places on one of his limbs. George Holmes got out his horse and tore his shoe and pants badly, while Brownie Holmes and a lady

friend, in a buggy wandered out of the

found themselves in the middle of a

neighbor's farm, and in the meantime

oad, lost their way in the darkness and

they lost a led horse, finding it the next Frank Viasak and his girl companion drave off a bridge ten feet high and into a stream five feet deep, but they got out White Claude Pendleton was trying to take a girl home he ran off a bridge. While Claude tried to strike a match to see where they were he found one horse in the water and he told the girl they were on the brunk of the grave good jumper she might exercise her skill She leaped down the embankment and she at last struck the ground and Claude, by this time, had soared down into the Editor of the News Tells His Side of other side. The horses refused to bridge others had to stop with friends until

Death of David Richards.

Mountain View, O. T., May 21.-After nearly two years of very severe and patient suffering from the effects of a de- C. Heiner a young and prosperous farmer enjed rib, from which there seemed to in the east part of Caddo county, and be no rollef. Pavid Richards passed Miss Grace M. Westfall, the beautiful and

print the theiret on which I (and my as- Jefferson, O. T., May 21-Al, Auldreili, | Qris D. Gould and Miss Emma Benda visiting among relatives and friends at

AT FIRST SIGHT

Romatic Feature to a Wedding at Guthrie Sunday.

Other Weddings for the Week in Several Counties.

Guthrie, O. T., May 21.-The Leader tells the following story of love at first

sight. Miss Inez Roe and Mr. Dwight L. Wolfe of Kansas City, were married at the home of the bride's parents Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Ogle, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. Only the immediate friends and relatives were present, the wedding being a

for Kansas City Sunday evening, where they will reside in the future. The groom is remembered here by his many friends, having resided in Guthrie about seven years ago. He is a musician of rare talent and is at present the leader

of an orchestra in Kansas City, There is a bit of romance connected with this happy marriage. The bride and groom met for the first time, Monday The young man was carrying his "grip" when he met his future wife, having arrived in Guthrie after an absence seven years. It was a case of love at first sight as they were acquaintances of scarcely a week before they became husband and wife.

One of the prettiest home weddings that ever occurred in Pond Creek took place Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Franke, when their niece, Miss Lena Uhlfelder was married to Mr. Michael S. Jakowsky.

At exactly one o'clock he bride with her brother and mother entered the parlor to the strains of Lohengrin's "Bridal Chorus," played softly by the Gault orchestra. Rabbi Dr. Meyers, of Kansas City, married the couple, using the beautiful and impressive ceremony of the Jewish church. The bride wore a handsome gown of champagne lawnsdown trimmed with insertion and oriental laces She carried a bouquet of white roses and jassemines. The groom were the conventional black. Immediately after congratulations, an elaborate wedding din ner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Jakowsky will be at some in Pond Creek to their friends after June 1st. Many valuable presents of silver and cut glass were received. The guests present from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. J. Chenosky and son of El Reno, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bernstein and son of Enid, Mr. Simeon Jakowsky of South McAlester, Messrs, Dessour and Schriver of Chicago and Max Westhiemer of Chicago,

Miss Evelena Richardson and Winthrop W. Walton were united in Marriage Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents, 512 East Perkins in Guthrie, The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Miles of the First Presbyterian church at 7:20 o'clock. Dr. Hirschi acted as best man and lone Coyle as bridesmaid. Only the immediate friends and relatives of the contracting parties witnessed the ceremony, which was followed by a reception from 8 until 11 o'clock. during which refreshments were served. most popular young ladies of Guthrie. where he will meet and wed Miss Pearl having lived there for many years with Mueler of Pueblo; Col. Miss Mueler is a her parents, who moved to Guthrie in the handsome and accomplished young music ter the verdict was aunounced ElKouri speak his heartfelt thanks for their kind early days. The groom is a progressive teacher of Pueblo. gaged in the lumber business.

> Agnes Mullikin were married at H. Starkweather, at Anadarko, at the ways having a ready answer that pre-Mr. and Mrs. George Mullikin, on Ok- Tom Johnston, of Anadarko. The conlahoma avenue, Enid, Miss Alpha Mullikin, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Hale, of the First Baptist church. The bride was gowned in Many friends and relatives were pres-The rooms were prettily decorated with

In the meantime men and women who M. Broyles last Wednesday solomnized the Carty of Oklahoma City. Mr. Lon Lang- tween the hours of 16 and 11. in the darkness. Berlin Bullock's horse groom, acted as best man, and Miss Stella White of Ennis, Tex., was the maid a champagne colored traveling dress and of the control of the carried a shower bounded or bride's roses.

E. Boone of Eshil. The judge tied the number of control of the last two couples.

The maid of honor was attired in a gray the chiral and carried pink roses. After the overmony a two-course luncheon was served and the bridal party departed on Phillips of Newkirk wers married in the Episcopal church in Shawnes Wedvisit relatives of the groom in Texas. first made at Newkirk this week. After Junel they will be at home in Wichita Fails, Tex.

The announcement of the wedding of Shawnee, at Oklahoma City, Saturday evening was made in Shawnee Monday, and it occasioned not a little surprise among the friends of the popular couple, says the News. Everyone knew that Brown and Miss Lizzie intended marrying but they kept the date so quiet that their ding until after is occurred at the North she thought she never would light, but Methodist parsonage in that city. Mr. Brown is the well known, popular and efficient fire chief, and his bride is one darkness and struck the bottom on the of the city's best liked young ladies. She has resided on North Beard for some brothers at town. We understand that their friends by the list of their acquaintances, are now at home at 208 North

pracefully away on Sunday evening, May accomplished daughter of J. W. Westfail.

oclates in crime) where candidates who lives east of town, is in a very pre-arrived at Shawnee May II. Friday af-I, as a candidate, was not permitted carbon from the effects of ternoon from Oklahoma City, their home. Here in Guthrie. to print or have anything to do with leathing his arms in a strong solution of and went at once to the cosy home, and nting the tickets of either faction. carbolic acid to relieve the itching of went at once to the cosy home of Justice. And to go further than that, we did not, a rish he has been having, and as a con- W. H. Dodge, on North Broadway, where and do not, even yel, know where or sequence blood poisoning has set in He in the presence of a few friends, the genial by Rev. Mitchell by whom the tickets were printed.

Shawnee News. They partook of a wedding supper at a Shawnee hotel and departed for Muskogee, intending to take up their residence in the Indian Territory.

Wedding permits were issued Monday at Oklahoma City to Elliott Morrison and Lizzie Story, both of Oklahoma City; Charles E. Funderberk and Bessie Abercromble, both of Oklahoma City. The last couple are both deaf mutes.

At Oklahoma City last Monday Probate Clerk Hurry issued the following licenses Lewis A. Brown and Miss Lizzie Robb. Shawnee; Joe Peshek and Miss Berousek, Oklahoma City; James A. Buoy SOME SOCIAL FEATURES and Miss Elizabeth Palmer, Okiahoma City; John Kennedy, Arcada and Miss Carrie Amonds, Edmond; William H. Horine and Miss Marie B. Cameron, Haileyville, I. T.; Henry C. Parkhurst, and Miss Luiu Beagle, Oklahoma City,

> J. S. Moffit and Mrs. Etta, D. Lee ,both of Hooker, Oklahoma, were married at Liberal, Kansas, Monday afternoon. Mr. Moffit is editor and publisher of the Hooker Advance. The bride, an Illinois lady, is recently from Bloomington, and has a claim near Hooker.

A wedding permit was issued Wednes day to David L. Stone of Jones, O. T., Mr. Stone is thre son of ex-Commissioner Stone and the bride is one of the most popular school teachers in the county. quiet one. The bride and groom left They were married in Oklahoma City-

Mr. Jim Bowie and Miss Elezabeth served. The bride is a well known nurse prosperous farmer and stock raiser. Mr. and Mrs. Bowie left at once for their home seven miles west of the city.

A marriage permit was issued to Chas. J. Rowe, age 21, of Newton, Kans., and Marcia Steen, age 18, of Wakita,

At the home of the bride's parents, ten miles northwest of Perry, took place the wedding of Frank Shaffer of Billings and Miss Mamie Gumm, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. H. White of Perry, officiating.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Bertha May, daughter of Mr. and event being the biggest social occasion in Mrs. George Green, to Hugh Thompson. says the Shawnee News. The happy Thursday, June 2, at the home of the a campaign to secure possession of the bride's parents at 603 North Market street bride for Noufal, and warrants were isin Shawnce. The couple will be at home at Haileyville, I. T., after June 15.

Marriage license was issued Wednesda at Enid to Carl Schumacher and Miss Amanda Schroeder, of Garber,

Two couple called at the office of the clerk of the probate court at Enid Wednesday afternoon and after procuring license, proceeded at once to the office of Justice Feger. The contracting parties were David P. Thompson of Fairmont, and Alice M. Debow of Douglas; Ernie D. Williams and Bessie E. Pickard, both of Fairmont.

Marriage licenses were issued Tuesday at Kingfisher to Walter E. Back, age 24. of Morris county, Kansas, and Miss Alice Snow, age 18, of Kingfisher county; John Kruse, age 40 and Miss Katy Ittner, age 24, both of Kingfisher county. The Hobart News-Republican states

The bride is one of the best known and that Spencer Hye has left for Vernon, the girl any way; that if the law did not hardware store to effect an entrance and

L. H. Williams and Miss Nora Johnston were united in the holy bonds of proved to be a bright witness, rattling off Last Sunday John Johnson and Miss matrimony Sunday, May 9, by Esquire W. her talk when becoming excited and alhome of the bride's parents, home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. tracting parties took the train the same evening for Hobart, their future home.

At the M E church in Fort Cobb. Wednesday evening, May 11, took place white silk and wore white carnations, the marriage of Miss Fanny Bodd of Ft. parents of Mrs. ElKouri have written Cobb, O. T., and Mr. Walter Vernon of Rockwell, Texas.

Mr. Vernon is a M. E. south preacher cyon days of a previous era we were ble, says the Patriot. The spirit of roses and carnations. The young people and is liked by all who know him. The seriously afflicted with the same malady. trouble seemed to be upon the face of the are well known in the city and received church was beautifully decerated with the young ladies were speculat- land and a pall of Egyptian darkness a number of handsome presents for their flowers and cedars. Mr. Bone D. Hite ing and theorizing concerning their full hung in dread suspense over all, and new home on Broadway where the ygo to played the wedding march and Rev. Roberts, presiring Elder of the M. E. church loughby by Rev. Elias Hitch.

At the home of the bride's parents, 711 Cards of invitation to the wedding of The marriage of Fred Aher and Miss East Sixth street, Oklahoma City, Rev. L. Miss Evalena Richardson to Mr. W. W. Susie Blevios, two of Minco's prominent Walton, both of this city, the ceremony Wichita Falls, Tex., and Miss Ethel Mc- been issued. A reception will follow be- morning-

The following marriage licenses have nesday at El Reno, to Thos. Wallasenbeen issued at Watonga by Judge Wood- skey and Miss Grayce Warrenstoff. only a few intimate friends of the family of Oieta and Mary Armbrecht of Omega; were married Tuesday evening by Probeing present. The bride was attired in John Sullivan and Georgia Iowa, both of bate Judge Phelps, at El Reno. his horse cut on wire and George Cotnick a champagne colored traveling dress and Okeene; Fred Maske of Etna and Nancy

Sunday, the 15th, a pretty wedding ocward. The contracting parties were Miss words thatc hanged the status of two Wood, of the board of regents stated

Hinson of Woodward were married at fast was served. the Hinson hotel on Sunday afternoon at This charming feature of the day being

week: Lucien James, 65, and Matilda weeks sojourn abroad. After June 15 Suchey, 27, both of Dollas, Tex.; Carl they will be at bome to friends at 419 Proneberger, 23, and Annie Miller, 18, both of Norman; Frank Short 21, and Dr. Mahr dwelling. Julia Duck, 22, both of Moore; Olile Boatand they concluded to return to her time, and the gental couple, who number right 27, and Maud Hall, 19, both of Lex- Cheyenne to Zacharlah Graham and Miss

> of Dr. J. B. Wachtel, formerly of Cleve-A marriage license was issued at Ana- land county, to Miss Emma Cardine darko May 7 by Judge Gigh to Samuel Sowers of Nevada, Mo., on June 1. They

> > Elmer Mclibenny and Miss Carrie Ashon were married at the bride's home in Sterling, Kan. Mrs. Mclibenney was formerly a resident of Ceres, O. T. After

were married Sunday afternoon in Rusk

Clarence Warmsley and Jane Vance

ARE WEDDED

Peculiar Romance Which Originated in Syria..

WEALTHY SUITOR'S SPITE

Paid the Girl's Fare to America and Los Her.

Oklahoma City, O. T., May 21-The Oklahoman contains the following remance which occurred in Syria;

Michael ElKouri and his pretty bride were arraigned in the district court at and Miss M. Coffman, of Spencer, O. T. Mangum, O. T., recently charged with wired the former Menday that Griggs violating the marriage laws of the territory by securing a license to wed and having the ceremony performed when Griggs answered the description in every and departed Wednesday evening for To- they were first cousins, a relationship other particular. peka, Kan, From there they go to Kan- considered too close in Oklahoma to adsas City, will laten visit the World's mit of a marriage. After hearing all the Fair in St. Louis and thence go to Florida evidence the jury declared them not guilty.

The complaining witness in the case was a prominent Syrian merchant of Palmer were united in Marriage at Okia- Oklahoma City, by the name of Silas homa City Sunday, May 15, at 5:30 p. m., Noufal, who wanted the girl himself. Rev. Ross officiating. A few invited Both ElKourl and Noufal came to Okguests gathered at the home of T. J. laborna a number of years ago and both Springer, 907 West Reno. After the cere- knew the girl in their native country and mony the guests repaired to the dining both had paid her court. Noufal is room where dainty refreshments were considerably her senior, but is wealthy; Both Noufal and ElKouri kept up a of Oklahoma City and the groom is a correspondence with the girl and finally white ElKouri, a young man of her own colony in southwestern Oklahoma. ago, is a member of a co-operative Syrian love was returned by the girl and they swore to be true while young ElKouri made a fortune for himself in America. Noufal made her a proposition to pay her way to Oklahoma City from Syria in case she would marry him upon her arrival here. She agreed, but at once

notified her younger lover to meet her upon her arrival in Oklahoma. As a con sequence Noufal paid the freight, while ElKouri got the girl. The latter met her, accompanied her to Mangum and they were immediately married, the the history of the colony.

recently. As a result of a formal trial, scheduled for the case. There were sevreal interpreters for th Syrians, and practically men, women and children of the colony were a unit in swearing Michael and his wife were only third cousins, although they had to admit. when closely questioned, that they did not know what relation a coustn is to another. Finally three young Syrian swore that they had been offered ten dollars each to swear against ElKouri and his wife, and this seemed to be a remained out only long enough to sign a verdict acquitting both parties.

The three young men also swore that manner he would abduct the bride. Af- liceman Oiney while in the store and his wife lext the court room, happy as larks, and followed by the entire colony of chattering foreigners. The girl vented her being caught by the attor- he

It developed during the trial that the Noufal from Syria that they have an- taken are said to excel all other jurother daughter at home, not quite so good looking, however, as Mrs. ElKouri, that he may have for a wife by sending for her.

of Red Point were married in Guymon Sunday at the residence of M. A. Wil-

young people, was solemnized at the pro-

A marriage license was granted Wed-

Mr. W. B. Moore and Mrs. Francis

Phillips of Newkirk wers married in the Episcopal church in Shawnee Wedthe 12:55 southbound Santa Fe train to February, but the announcement was needay morning which united in marriage a grand parade. Mr. Tom W. Whittaker and Mrs. Minnie Atchison was the crowning hymenial event of the social season. After Rev. The announcement of the wedding of Lewis A. Brown and Miss Lizzie Robb, of Shawnee, at Oklahoma City, Saturday evening was made in Shawnee Monday, and it occasioned not a little surprise and it occasioned not a little surprise.

The announcement of the wedding of the status of two lives that the assembly hull in the new building will be rainly for use at the coming will be rainly for use at the coming graduating exercises. Of course the surprise with at exercises and elevant wedding break discremental for the contracting parties were Miss.

The announcement of the wedding of the status of two lives, the wedding party repaired to the local tribute assembly hull in the new building will be rainly for use at the coming graduating exercises. Of course the surprise with at seven countries behind him.

Roland R. Bonifield of Oleta an Birdle and elevant wedding break discremental to be entirely flux and it is the assembly hull in the new building will be rainly for use at the coming graduating exercises. Of course the surprise will be the discremental to be contracted to the local triple and the contraction of two local triples and the coming surprise and archive half of the discremental triples and a surprise surprise and archive half of the discremental triples are the contraction of two local triples and the contraction of the contraction of

> o'clock, Rev. J. W. Kendall pronounce at an end, the bridal pair, accompanied Marriage licenses issued at Norman this and Mrs. Whittaker departed for a few they will be at home to friends at 415 tang on Ministang creek, is putting in an Democrate on the west side get together
> North Beard street, in a portion of the irrigation plant to cost about \$1.29. He they can control the convention, but

> Pearl Herring, both of Sayre on the 16th. Mr. Theodore Hensky and Miss Grace Cards are out announcing the marriage Hyde were married Wednesday at El Reno at the Christian church by Rev. Parker of that city. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the very brief but | joined Relivery company, seen his resign is one thing certain, the west rate can

The following marriage licenses have been issued by the probate cours at Tocustock during the past week childs Thomas, 20, and Mrs. Pannie Rober, 21, soth of Shawner, John C. (Suck, II, and Ether Carpenter, 20; Walter Haffard, 31. and Esther Cattridge, St. N. Houston

Deserters Are Caught

which united them for life, says the S. C. Calvert and Miss Pearl Smith Fort Reno, were captured near Okarche voters in attendance at this meeting. | Bird's favor. Offic.DIAM SLOCTION

guarding Cook, who was a military pris-oner, and the men left the Fort together. EL RENO GROP and taken back to the Fort. Munger was Munger is liable to eight years' impris-onment for his offense, and the probabilitles are that he will get the limit. A hundred men were scouring the country for the deserters until they were caught

WAS THE WRONG MAN.

Sheriff of Blaine Arrests J. H. Griggs at Geary. Watonga, O. T., May 21.-On last Fri-day a colored man, known in Watonga

as J. H. Griggs, was arrested in Geary by order of Sheriff Southerland and brought back to this city for investigation, says the Republican.

Griggs had been employed as cook a Hinckley's restaurant since last January but quit some days before and left for Geary. The arrest was made upon a description furnished Sheriff Southerland by the officers of Johnson county, Mo. of a man named Bossie Francis, wanted there for a brutal murder of a young gir two or three years ago. Griggs had all the marks of identification upon his person and answered the description compictely. Sheriff Southerland had a photograph taken of the man which he sent the sheriff of Johnson county, who was not the man wanted and he was released from custody. It is certainly a singular case in view of the fact that

LEASES MUCH LAND. Blaine County Hopes to See Oil Wells

Developed. day on business, says the Republican. in leasing oil lands along Arapahoe and for what purpose deponent sayeth not. creeks, in Minine county, for the Standard Oil company. He has succeeded ishman from Geary, in Blaine county, In leasing 2,300 acres with the promise of who will manage Bird McGuire's cam-more, and reports that there is not a paign, was in town the other day and leave the latter part of the week for his a doubt, succeed himself as delegate turn will again take up the oil proposition in connection with a representative of the

MAIL SERVICE EXPECTED.

Katy Will Run Postal Train Between

as well as Blaine county.

Guthrie and Fallis. Guthrie, O. T., May II -After waiting three months there is a strong probability that mail service will be established upon the Katy between Guthrie and Fai-Finding he had been duped, Noufal, lis to a connection with the Parsons line event will take place at 12:30 p. m. with the assistance of his sister, began in a few weeks. The postal department sued at Mangum for the arrest of El- mail service on this line. This will be Kouri and wife, charging them with vio- done as soon as the various reports can lating the marriage laws. The scene was be received, if they are favorable. When not unlike a visit to the "Pike" at the this service is established a part of the St. Louis fair when the trial occurred Kansas City and St. Louis mail will be received in a shorter time in Guthrie. the jury disagreed and the second was and direct connections will be made with many more Indian Territory and Okla-

RELEASED FROM CUSTODY. Had Been in Jail for Alleged Bur-

glary. Hobart, O. T., May 21.-Upon the recmmendation of County Attorney J. E. Terral, C. T. Pankey, who has been confined in the county jail for several weeks on a charge of burglary, was released dincher in the minds of the jury, which from custody Wednesday upon his own recognizance, all the costs in the case

having been paid in full. Pankey is the man who cut out the lock Noufal told them that he intended to get in the back door of Lyon & Matthews'

TAKES THIRD DEGREE.

Guthrie Lodge Puts It on With Unusual Brilliancy.

Guthrie, O. T., May 31.-Guy Stumpff has arrived in the city from Orlande and The boys, from what I can learn from Both Noufal and his which was put on tonight. This degree filling the judge with exhaust orone, and in his defense, claim- is put on by the Masons of this juris. Lawrer W. R. Paylor, of Oklaho sister took the stand in his defense, claiming the young couple were first cousins,
but the colony Syrians were too many

diction different from any other to the
City, put a big spike in the Bill Cross

or of States, and to see this degree is
cogg wheel in couldness county yesterpartly the reason for the coming of the day which will leave the gallant colone distinguished visitors. The stage work. scenery, electrical effects and the part Bill has been piruting around telling the

TWO BEAR HIDES.

Skins of Catamounts Also Have Been

Collected. Lawton, O. T., May El.-A representative of the Smithsonian institute left the Wichite mountains today with two bear which were killed in the mountains. They been he is not a back number. will be mounted and put on exhibition Miners of the mountains tell of some having a streak of good back lately, and ing the beasts. There are numbers of

TO OBSERVE THE FOURTH. Aline Has Arranged Its Fine Program Early.

bears and wild cars in the mountains,

Allow, O. T., May H .- A fund of \$500

Will Be Ready for Use.

Edmond, O. T., May IL In talking to a reporter for the Enterprise the Rev. Roland R. Bonifield of Oleta an Birdle an elaborate and elegant wedding break- but will be scated with the chairs from choice of Friends either on the cast or the old ameemity field. There will be west side they are all Democrats to him. room for from 50 to 1.00 people to be 7he grand doke of Little Africa, as

An Irrigation Plant,

Edmond, G. T. May N.-Frank Swa- strong scrap is the convention eskt. Hving five railes surtheast of Musexpects to tracate fifteen scree, taking will they do it the question asked. Bob the water from Mustadig crock. He has Forcest, of El Benn, Judge Billius, proabout it about completed and will test the hate pulge of Washitz county, and W. water supply soon, offer a threshing it. Cardwell, the gweet singer, of machine engine to pump the water

Station Agent Resigns.

nation to the superintendent of that com- not select a delegate to congress and a pany yesterday, the same to take effect national committeeman, it has to be one at core. Mr. Welfuld, while he has only or the other, and the three gentlemen had charge of this station for the past named above are heartly in favor of

and Exter Catridge, N. N. Houston Schuldern of Carlo county met here a national committeemen to the event Bowler, M. and Rent L. Montgomery, 28. Security and organized a Republican of a Description of a Descrip sinh known as the Innglate Republican. Th coming campaign is going to be the ciut. The president is \$1, Stevens of An- torridest ever known in the El Reno, O. T. May II.—George Mun- starko and the secretary is M. C. Renoe Galahoma, it is fixed McGules against per and Nat Cook, who descried from of Port Colds. There were about fifty the field with the chances stomady

AND POLITICS

Recent Rains Have Caused Joy to the Farmers.

M'GUIRE IS A WINNER

There Are a Multitude of Candidates on Other Side

El Reno, O. T., May 21.-Since my last letter I have been very busily engaged in intermiewing my brother farmers on the crop proposition and in trying to solve the political problem which has com-menced to agitate the minds of the peo-

The farmers are feeling right pert on account of the late rains that have bless ed the soil with meisture. In this county there are hundreds of acres of wheat. A large acreage of corn and cotton has been planted and taking the condition of the ground into consideration, a large crop of each is assured

There is a rumor affoat that the great Watengn, O. T., May 21-H. C. Chap-Rock Island railroad will, no doubt, in man, of Okeene, was in the city yester- the very near future, give El Rene a new and commodious depot, and perhaps a Mr. Chapman, since his retirement from Pepair shop. Numerous properties in the the newspaper business, has been engaged Morrison addition have been purchased John Dillen, the great hig husky Ir-

uarter of land leased but what contains in a short conversation with your humevidence of oil. Mr. Chapman expects to bie, remarked that Bird would, without old home in Indiana, and upon his re- congress. "Why," said Jehn, "should be not succeed himseles. While in congress he performed the auties he laid down Standard Oil company. This may develop into a big thing for Mr. Chapman vention when he was nominated. His views on the statehood proposition have not changed in the least, he is still for statehod for Oklahoma, and if he cannot get it for us in the way he was instructed to procure it, he will take what a Republican senate gives him, and be thankful for the same. A few politicians think they have a frievance against Bird, but when he gets out on the stump and explains some things, the rank and file of the people of Okiahoma will crawl into their holes and draw them in after them. Of course, there are some men who are never satisfied with what another man does, but we propose Bird McGuire with his short sojourn in congress, without a vote, did as much good for the people of this territory as many of the congressmen did who hall from the largest states in the Union The Democrats have a sort of an idea that most any sort of Democrat can be ly candidates are springing up out of the tall grass in all sections of the territory. The east side as usual has several cardidates who think that a "morecust". ing triumphantly to Washington and demunding a seat in the lower house of Among the most segressive

candidates is Tom Dovie, of Perry, William Bowles, commenty call late spenker of the territorial house of also a resident of Perry nounced himself as a cambidate for delewas arrested by E. H. Carpenter and Pois "agin" Tom and Tom will see that ha does not get a corporal's goard at the

Judge Maxey, another battle scarred warrior, with a burrel, says that the "Pot" country and a number of the counties on the west sole are for bin received the third degree of Masonry. the most authentic source, have been "horse-do-come-back" in the convention folks that Oklahoma eminty's sons would be instructed for him at the next congregolonal convention, but also they have turned him out to die by the wayside.

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awful good Democrats who are entitled Mathews, of Mangam in Greek county Frank is a Democrat from the top of his head to the soles of his feet, he is from Georgie where Democratz are rated.

has gotten it into his head that all be has to do is to walk lists the convegtion and carry off every rate in house. It has been rumered wround that hed Legtle that he has the Canadian county delegation safely stored away in his water cost posker, and at the pre-

will also be a candidate for delegate. Mr Kane is a Democrat of the old actual-He is a lawyer of shillty and is respected by all parties. He belongs to no betting the east nide do all of the die toting as has been done in years, past. sented in the new building's auditorium. Edgar is called, in no mean antagonian to bute up against and if what is

There is one thing dead certain if the Weatherford are scheming to be national committeemen, and in order to gain their gen ends they will turn fown a west J. W. Geliubi, local agent for the Rock side man for delegate to congress. There nine months, his made a splended record, an set side man getting the seminant for delegate to congress, so that they Anadarks, G. T. May H.—The entered can secure the great previles coming to